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## Is Montana Ready?

Please join me in Billings for the 2<sup>nd</sup> Governor's Emergency Preparedness Summit and help me answer that question. The conference, to be held at the Holiday Inn Grand in Billings, will begin on Tuesday April 22<sup>nd</sup>, but be preceded by and conclude with additional meetings and training activities, offering a full week of preparedness opportunities.

You will find complete agenda information and on-line registration at the following website: http://eu.montana.edu/preparedness/

This conference will provide the venue for the cooperation and collaboration so essential to effective emergency planning and response. It will also help us lay the foundation for resilient communities that are able to bounce back quickly from disruptive events.

I look forward to seeing you in Billings in April.

Sincerely,

BRIAN SCHWEITZER

Governor